

U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20207

Record of Commission Action Commissioners Voting by Ballot*

Commissioners Voting:

Chairman Ann Brown

Commissioner Mary Sheila Gall Commissioner Thomas H. Moore

ITEM:

All-Terrain Vehicles (ATVs): Issuance of Resolution Commending the Actions of Cannondale Corporation

DECISION:

The Commission voted 2-0-1 to approve for publication in the Federal Register a Resolution commending Cannondale Corporation for its safety-related actions regarding the firm's all-terrain vehicles (ATVs). Chairman Brown and Commissioner Moore voted to approve. Commissioner Gall abstained and filed a statement concerning her vote (copy attached).

For the Commission:

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Secretary

^{*} Ballot vote due January 5, 2001



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STATEMENT OF THE HONORABLE MARY SHEILA GALL ON RECOMMENDATION THAT THE COMMISSION COMMEND CANNONDALE CORPORATION FOR ITS ATV SAFETY-RELATED ACTIONS

January 5, 2001

On two previous occasions, the Commission has approved resolutions commending the safety-related activities of all-terrain vehicle (ATV) manufacturers and distributors. While I found the activities undertaken commendable, I abstained from voting on the resolution. Certain companies, whose activities I also found deserving, were excluded from recognition. The present resolution does not change that situation and, accordingly, I abstain from voting on it for that reason. While I support Cannondale Corporation's ATV safety action plan, I believe it is inappropriate to commend only certain ATV manufacturers and distributors and not to recognize all who have worked diligently to develop substantial ATV safety programs in the spirit of the expired Consent Degree.